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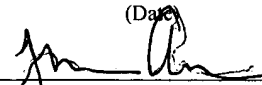
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application are the following enclosures:

- (X) Response to Election of Species Requirement in 1 page.
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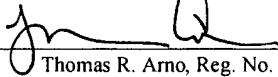
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RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

In the Office Action mailed December 1, 2006, the Examiner required election of one of five species.

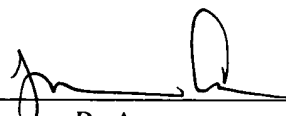
In response to the Election of Species requirement, Applicant elects the species identified by the Examiner as Species I, and notes that Claims 1-24, 27-31, and 38-39 are readable upon the elected species.

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Respectfully submitted,

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